**Quarter 1 Project: Mi Ciudad—Grade 8 (Chapters 4A, 4B)**

**Due: Oct 30th**

You will complete one of the following projects. These projects include any or all of the material we will cover this quarter in Spanish: places, past times, leisure activities, & invitations. On the due date, you will turn in: your completed project, the rubric, and the completed Action-Connection-Reflection form. Late projects will only be accepted up to **2 days** after the project due date. No project will be accepted after **Nov. 1** unless otherwise given a date by me or you had an approved excused absence from school.

The project selections are:

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| 1. Create a 3 dimensional imaginary city that has at least 5 different places on it. Describe where each place is located in relation to one another, how often you would visit the place, and what you do at each place. | 2. Pretend you are on an imaginary vacation in the countryside, the mountains, or the beach. Create a postcard (picture on 1 side) and write a description about your vacation to a friend or to me. Include what you are going to do, how you feel and places you plan to visit. (Do NOT use the past tense in any form, you WILL NOT receive credit for it’s use at this time. | 3. Research 3 sports that are only played in Spanish-speaking countries. Write a report (in English) about what each sport is and compare / contrast them. In Spanish, include which sport you would prefer to play and why. |
| 4. Create an invitation to an event and call a friend to leave a message inviting them to attend the event with you. Include the name of the event, when, where and at what time the event is going to take place, and who is going. | 5. Have a phone conversation with a classmate. During the conversation you will invite them to an event with you. Tell them where the event is, what time it will be, and who else will be going with you. Your partner will decline the invitation, give a reason why they cannot go, and then suggest a different activity to do. Give the date, time, and location of the newly suggested event & your partner will then accept. Say the proper good-byes. | 6. If you can think of another project that will incorporate the information from these chapters, please describe the project to me in writing & in detail & get PRIOR approval before starting. Failure to follow through on the project you described exactly will result in lost points. |

Your selection is due **October 16**. This project is your test for the Unit.

If you choose to work with a partner, realize that the majority of the work is completed outside of class and you both earn the same grade. This assessment is **50** points.